

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In patent application of

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For: DETERMINING STRUCTURAL SIMILARITY IN SEMI-STRUCTURED DOCUMENTS

Commissioner of Patents

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits and calculation of the filing fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 21 and 22 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Please replace the following claims for the same numbered claims in the application: